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SUBJECT: THE SECRETARY'S REPLY TO THE POLISH FOREIGN
MINISTER ON FISHING QUOTA

1. PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING LETTER FROM THE SECRETARY
TO FOREIGN MINISTER WOJTASZEK. THE SIGNED ORIGINAL FOLLOWS
BY POUCH.

2. BEGIN TEXT:

DEAR MR. MINISTER:

DURING OUR CONVERSATION IN WARSAW I TOLD YOU THAT I WOULD
LOOK INTO THE POLISH FISHING ALLOCATIONS IN THE UNITED
STATES' FISHERIES ZONE.

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PRIMARY EMPHASIS ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE U.S. FISHING
INDUSTRY. THIS ACT AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A TWO-HUNDRED
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REPUBLIC OF KOREA). IT IS AN UNFORTUNATE COINCIDENCE
FOR POLAND THAT ITS HISTORIC INTEREST HAPPENS TO BE FOR
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IT WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE TO ACCOMMODATE THE POLISH REQUEST
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I AM AWARE OF POLAND'S INTEREST IN COOPERATION WITH THE
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WITH OUR PRIVATE SECTOR. SINCRELY, CYRUS VANCE.

END TEXT. VANCE

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